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COUNTRY Eastern Germany REPORT NO. 25X1TOPIC Military Information from DresdenEVALUATION 25X1 PLACE OBTAINED 25X1DATE OF CONTENT 17 July, and 9 to 26 September 1952DATE OBTAINED 25X1 PREPARED 24 October 1952REFERENCES 25X1PAGES 2 ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE)

REMARKS

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1. After 24 September 1952, the Hermann Goering Kaserne, 1 km south of Klotzsche near Dresden (N 52/F 29) was more heavily occupied by personnel wearing red-bordered black epaulets with tank insignia than during the preceding weeks. [redacted] a column of trucks carrying personnel and billeting equipment entered the installation coming from the direction of Koenigsbrueck. Six buildings were lighted at dusk.

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2. During the period from 9 to 26 September, the Napola in Klotzsche was still vacant. (2)

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3. During the period from 9 to 26 September, the Luftkriegsschule in Klotzsche-Liebigsdorf was occupied to capacity by about 1,000 soldiers wearing black-bordered crimson epaulets and 2,000 air force men. [redacted]

4. In late September, [redacted]

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[redacted] the troops left the troop training grounds on that day. Soviet traffic control posts [redacted] on Koenigsbruecker Strasse in Dresden after 27 September. (1)

5. [redacted]

6. On 17 September, the Luftnachrichten Kaserne in Mickern was still occupied by a rear detail of about 50 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets, including some with motor transport insignia.

7. On 16 September, the Adolf Hitler Kaserne east of Koenigsbruecker Strasse was occupied by about 800 soldiers who wore black-bordered black epaulets, including about 60 soldiers with signal insignia. [redacted]

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8. On 16 September, the Sucher Kaserne on Marien Allee was occupied by about 150 soldiers wearing black-bordered crimson epaulets. A small number of soldiers were

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25X1 engaged in athletic activities and fatigue duty. [redacted]

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9. On 16 September, the Grenadier Kaserne 101, (the kaserne had belonged to the former German 101st Grenadier Regt) south of Kurt Fischer Allee, was only lightly occupied. Only a small number of motor vehicles, [redacted]

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10. In mid-September, [redacted] the buildings at 9, 11 and 13 Arndt Strasse were occupied by the Soviets and had signboards with Russian inscriptions.

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11. On 16 September, the gun emplacement in the destroyed section of Grenadier Kaserne 100 (the kaserne had belonged to the former German 100th Grenadier Regt), north-east of Kurt Fischer Allee was still occupied by about 60 soldiers who wore red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia.

12. On 14 September, a band of 15 musicians followed by about 400 soldiers wearing red-bordered black and black-bordered black epaulets marched out of the SS Kaserne "Hilfer Mann on Moritzburger Landstrasse. [redacted]

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13. On 19 September, [redacted] that the AAA emplacement in Dresden-Uebigau was occupied by about 100 soldiers who wore red-bordered black epaulets and had three 35-mm AA guns and several machine guns. A captain who had been there for about one year served as commanding officer of the emplacement. The soldiers had been quartered in a two-story brick building with canteen since early 1952. [redacted] a similar AAA emplacement was recently established on Hammerweg. (3)

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14. On 20 September, the barracks installation on Washington Strasse in Uebigau was not occupied to capacity. It was guarded by a soldier wearing black-bordered black epaulets. Two stories of the main building were lighted at dusk. [redacted]

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Comments.

- (1) The departure from Koenigsbrueck of advance elements of the 11th Gds Tank Div was confirmed [redacted]

- (2) The "Napole" building serves as permanent quarters of the headquarters of the 11th Gds Tank Div.

- (3) The occupation apparently remained unchanged.

- (4) [redacted] has been known since 1950 and probably belongs to a construction unit in Leipzig.

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- (5) The bulk of the 1st Assault Ingr Regt of the First Gds Recz Army stationed at the Uebigau Kaserne had returned from the Muehlberg training area northwest of Riesa on 4 August. [redacted] the

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regiment has apparently left for an unidentified destination.

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